

Sunday 27th. June, 2021 11a.m.
The Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
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Musical Director: Mr. Alan A. Craig. B.Mus., P.G.C.E.

Scripture Sentence

Welcome & Intimations

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you
with our whole heart and mind and strength.
We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
In your mercy, forgive what we have been,
help us amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be,
that we may delight in your will
and walk in your ways
to the glory of your holy name. AMEN.**

St. Mark 5:21-43

Hymn 43 O God, you are my God alone, (Psalm 63)

- 1 O God, you are my God alone,
whom eagerly I seek,
though longing fills my soul with thirst
and leaves my body weak.
Just like a dry and barren land
awaits a freshening shower,
I long within your house to see
your glory and your power.
- 2 Your faithful love surpasses life,
evoking all my praise.
Through every day, to bless your name,
my hands in joy I'll raise.
My deepest needs you satisfy
as with a sumptuous feast.
So, on my lips and in my heart,
your praise has never ceased.
- 3 Throughout the night I lie in bed
and call you, Lord, to mind;
in darkest hours I meditate
how God, my strength, is kind.
Beneath the shadow of your wing,
I live and feel secure;
and daily, as I follow close,
your right hand keeps me sure.

John Bell (born 1949) after Psalm 63 vv 1-8
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Sermon

Musical Interlude

Prayer of Intercession and the Lord's Prayer

**Our Father which art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy Name.**

Thy Kingdom come.

Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for
ever. Amen.**

Hymn 565 My life flows on in endless song

1 My life flows on in endless song
Above earth's lamentation:
I catch the sweet, though far off hymn
That hails a new creation.

*No storm can shake my inmost calm
While to that Rock I'm clinging;
Since love is Lord of heaven and earth,
How can I keep from singing?*

2 Through all the tumult and the strife
I hear that music ringing;
It finds an echo in my soul;
How can I keep from singing?
Chorus

3 What though my joys and comforts die.
The Lord my Saviour liveth!
What though the darkness round me close?
Songs in the night he giveth.
Chorus

4 The peace of Christ makes fresh my heart,
a fountain ever springing.
All things are mine since I am his!
How can I keep from singing?
Chorus

Robert Lowry (1822-1899) and Doris Plenn after an early Quaker Song
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Benediction

Choral Amen (3-fold.)